





## HONGKONG MARKETS.

TONS	CONSIGNEES.	DESTINATION.
MANILA.		
PORT ON 5th MARCH, 1884.		
1144	Kie & Co	
871	Mayfield & Co	
218	C. J. Carter	Princes States
545	W. F. Staranaga & Co	
937	W. F. Staranaga & Co	
1387	Maclean, Dumas & Co	New York
1444	S. Smith, Bell & Co	
619	F. Jones, Mann & Co	
721	W. F. Staranaga & Co	

1559	Order	
575	Smith, Bell & Co.	Montreal

	CAPTAIN.	WHERE AT.
0	Captain Schanz	Kobe
10	Commander Caillard	Saigon
0	Capt. A. D. Pedroz	Macao
10	Commander L. Kempf	Shanghai
0	Commander Lafon	Tongkin
0	Captain Achard	Hongkong
0	Captain Colombanand	Hongkong
0	Captain Morel des Fagnas	Amoy
0	Commander Bernier	Shanghai
0	Captain Klabaut	Yokohama
0	Capt. McCormick	Cruising
0	Capt. Ronstan	Tongkin
0	Commander Stark	Vladivostok
0	Com. G. C. Kobay	Shanghai
0	Com. P. F. Harrington	Korea
5	Commander Bouamont	Hongkong
0		Hongkong
0	Captain Bessier	Gwangtung
0	Capt. J. M. Caldwell	Hongkong
0	Commander C. S. Cotton	Canton
0	Commander Boyle	Nagasaki
0	Captain Kalaschowsky	Yokohama
0	Commander von Brandt	Vladivostok
0	Capt. B. Krassethoff	Niugpe

Captain Skerrett	Shanghai
Captain Blaudareff	Nagasaki

Captains Skerrett	Shanghai
Captain Elwood	Nagasaki
Commander Boyle	Nagasaki
Captain von Notz	Shanghai
Capt. de Costa Cabral	Moena
Commander Hook	Vladivostok
Captain Baur	Amoy
Capt. D. E. Hutson	Hongkong
Captain Dewaire	Amoy
Captain Fourdun	Hongkong
Lieut. Com. von Raven	Canton

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SQUADRON.		
R.P.	COMMANDER.	STATION.
75	—	Hongkong
89	—	—
92	—	Hongkong
75	J. Stewart	Canton
30	F. Bessard	—
—	—	Canton
—	—	Hongkong
—	—	Canton
—	—	—
40	Laung Yui Ting	Hongkong
25	Chow Shui	Canton
40	Loe-ping-tai	Canton
40	Tung Yung Lin	Canton
40	Chingso Aduakul	Bogue Ports
40	Ohing	Bogue Ports


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HEAD-QUARTERS, WYNHAM STREET, HONGKONG.



No. 8191	號一十九百零千八第	日五念月二壬	緒光	HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 2ND, 1884.	大正	號三十二月三英曆	PRICE \$2 PER MONTH
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## INTIMATIONS.

  
**GOVERNMENT BILLS.**  
**ORDERS SPECIAL, MEXICAN DOLLARS.** Current in the Colony watching exchange for BILLS drawn ON DEB. on the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA. CALIF. will be received by the Chief Paymaster, by Department until TWELVE, NOON, TODAY, the 24th instant.  
Tenders to state the Total Amount received (sums) in Dollars, which should be drawn, but no BILLS will be drawn below Rs. 10,000.  
Tenders to be in Duplicate, in Sealed Envelopes addressed to "The Chief Paymaster, by Department," and endorsed "Tenders for current Bills."  
Tenders to accept or reject any or all the is reserved.

**AUG. S. MURRAY,**  
Lieut.-Colonel,  
Chief Paymaster,  
His Majesty's  
Post Office,  
No. 2, Cross Street,  
Singapore.

TONIO DA COSTA, late of Victoria,  
 the Colony of Hongkong, Secretary of  
 Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steam-  
 Company, Limited, Deceased.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors  
 and other persons having any CLAIMS  
 against the ESTATE of the late  
 TONIO DA COSTA, who died while travelling from Hong-  
 kong to the Colony of Hongkong, in the month of February,  
 1884, and who was last seen alive on the 20th of February,  
 and Letters of Administration to whose  
 estate were granted by the Supreme Court of  
 the Colony of Hongkong, on the 15th day of March, 1884, to ARMINDA  
 TONICA DA COSTA, the Widow of the  
 late TONIO DA COSTA,

NOTICE is hereby also given that at the expiration of the period of 30 days from the date of the day above limited the said **DA ANGELICA DA COSTA** will proceed to pay to the Assets of the said **POLYCARPO DA COSTA**, deceased, amongst the creditors entitled thereto having regard to the priority of which the said **ARMINDA ANGELICA DA COSTA** or the Undersigned shall then have to make payment.

A COSTA will not be liable for the Assets  
part thereof so distributed to any person  
the Claim she shall not have had notice at  
the of distribution.  
parties indebted to the above Estate are  
to make immediate payment to the

on the 21st day of March, 1884.  
 ERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON,  
 Solicitors for the said **ARMINDA ANGELICA**  
 DA COSTA,  
 35, Queen's Road,  
 Hongkong.

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FOR SHANGHAI

Steamship  
 "IPHIGENIA."  
 Athens, will have immediate despatch  
 Freight or Passage, apply to  
 SIEMSEN & Co.,  
 Agents.  
 March, 1884. '617

DOWNS TO LET, No. 8, QUEEN'S  
 ROAD CENTRAL.  
 Particulars, apply to  
 NAM HING LOONG,  
 93 and 95, Queen's Road.  
 March, 1884. 1010

From 1st April.  
HOUSE, with 3 or 4 Rooms and Accommodations. State monthly rent in  
A. M.,  
"Daily Press" Office.  
March, 1884. [596]

LISH LADY'S MAID attendant to LADY,  
 LIA out of arms, to Europe or Coast  
 Could take any post of trust.

H. M.,  
 Care of J. G. Gots,  
 German Consulate,  
 Amoy.

March, 1884. [488

MOVED  
CE TO-DAY, from BALL'S COURT, to  
PRATA CENTRAL, (Messrs. Hesse & Co.'s  
or) the SPANISH CONSULATE OFFICE.  
March, 1884. [583]

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CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRTEENTH ORDINARY MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Head Office, a. Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 25th 1884, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the pur-

receiving the Register and  
with a Statement of Accounts to 31st  
per, 1883.  
**TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED**  
the 22nd to 29th inst. both days inclusive.  
Order of the Board.  
**J. BRADLEE SMITH,**  
Secretary.  
March, 1884. [584]

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT 1869.  
HIS MAJESTY'S COURT AT AMOY.  
In the matter of proceedings for liquidation  
by arrangement or composition with Creditors  
instituted by JAMIESON ELLIS of  
late trading under the style or firm of  
& Co. at Amoy.

dividend is intended to be declared in the  
 master on the third day of April, 1884.  
 and this 13th day of March, 1884.  
 F. CHOMLEY, } Trustees.  
 J. T. MOSES, }

SEKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK  
 COMPANY, LIMITED.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a statement of business contributed during the half-year ended under 31st, 1893, on or before 31st March on which date the accounts will be closed. Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

February, 1884. 443

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ST. SIM & Co.'s PATENT ANTI-  
FOULING COMPOSITION  
as supplied to  
Majesty's Ships; The P. & O. S. N. Co.;  
Poulsen Steamship Co.; The Japanese  
Mort.  
Agent China, Japan, and Manila.

EDWARD GEORGE.  
January, 1884. [258]



## NOW READY.

## THE CHRONICLE &amp; DIRECTORY FOR 1894.

With which is incorporated THE CHINA DIRECTORY.

(Twenty-second Annual Issue.)

Royal Octavo, pp. 1,000.....\$5.00.

Small Edition, pp. 750.....\$3.00.

## THE CHRONICLE &amp; DIRECTORY

has been thoroughly revised and brought up to date, and is again with increased in size.

## It contains Descriptive and Statistical

Accounts of, and Directories for, HONGKONG—

Do. Leases Directory Nagasaki.

Do. Military Forces. Kobe (Hiro).

Do. Chinese Hong Kong.

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## NOTICE.

## A. S. WATSON AND CO.

By Appointment to His Excellency the Governor and his Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS.

PATENT MEDICINE VENDORS.

DRUGGISTS' SUPPLIES.

And

AERATED WATER MAKERS.

SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS REFITTED.

PASSENGER SHIPS SUPPLIED.

Orders to be sent to the Editor of the

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trade with the United States is steadily increasing, thanks mainly to American enterprise. The Mexicans, however, also appear to be rousing themselves, and they are endeavouring to promote their foreign commerce and create a mercantile marine. A scheme is afoot, according to the American papers, for the establishment of a steamship line between Mexico and China, and, in spite of the prognostications of many the Californians, it happens that the Mexicans really contemplate the encouragement of Chinese immigration, and intend to try and attract to Mexico some of the Chinese trade which has hitherto flowed through San Francisco.

However this may be, it is certain that the Chinese at present find a fair amount of employment for their industry in Mexico, and we hope that no fanatical opposition will be awakened against them. This is less likely than in the United States, for the Indians of Mexico can certainly live as cheaply as the Chinese and afford to work for as low or even lower remuneration. But there is a room for both, and we see no reason why a moderate number of Chinese should not be welcomed there.

The French consul, M. de la Roche, left here yesterday for a cruise.

The Dutch steamer *Gouverneur* General's Jacob was to leave the harbour today.

The O. and O. steamer *Oswego*, with mails, left for San Francisco yesterday.

The Japanese mail steamer *Harima* has been appointed to represent His Majesty at the Court of Seoul as well as that of Peking.

A public dinner is to be given to His Excellency Sir Frederick Weld, Governor of Singapore, on his leaving that colony for a trip home on leave.

The Agent informs us that the Messageries Maritimes steamer *Arcturion*, with the next outward French mail, left Saigon at 8 o'clock yesterday morning for Hongkong.